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SUBJ: ROMANIAN OPERA PERSONALITY ELENA CERNEI

1. ELENA CERNAI, LOCALLY WELL-KNOWN OPERA PERSONALITY AND EXCELLENT EMBASSY CONTACT, HAS PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENTS IN CANADA BEGINNING DECEMBER 15, UPON CONCLUSION OF WHICH SHE PLANS SPEND FEW DAYS IN NEW YORK BEGINNING JANUARY 8.

2. HAVE GIVEN HER YOUR NAME AND OFFICE NUMBER AND WOULD APPRECIATE ANY APPROPRIATE COURTESIES, INFORMATION YOU MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE SHOULD SHE CALL. SHE IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN CONTACTS WITH THE METROPOLITAN OPERA ASSOCIATION IN LINCOLN CENTER AND WITH THE RECORD DIVISION OF COLUMBIA (SHE BELIEVES LATTER MAY BE INTERESTED IN U.S. PRESSING AND RELEASE OF HER OPERATIC PIECES).

3. FYI: AT METROPOLITAN SHE HAS ALREADY BEEN IN TOUCH, THROUGH US, WITH ASSISTANT MANAGER FRANCIS ROBINSON (LINCOLN CENTER PLAZA, NEW YORK, NEW YORK, 10023; TEL: 212-799-3100), AND WE HAVE GIVEN HER FOLLOWING OFFICE COORDINATES FOR COLUMBIA: COLUMBIA RECORDS, INC., CBS INC., 51 W. 52ND ST., NY, NY 10019; TEL: 212-765-4321. SHOULD YOU BE ABLE TO CONTACT BOTH THESE OFFICES (SAY, MID-DECEMBER) AND ADVISE
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THEM OF CERNEI'S PLANS TO MEET WITH APPROPRIATE REPRESENTATIVES

THERE IN EARLY JANUARY, WE AND SHE WOULD BE MOST APPRECIATIVE.
WILL TURN OVER ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND TO YOU EARLY NEXT MONTH.
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